



BOARD OF HEALTH

Borough of Harrington Park

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Application for License to Raise Chickens

Application is hereby made for a license to own, raise, or harbor chickens in the borough of Harrington Park, as defined in Ordinance 2012-1, Health Code Chapter 358 Article III Chickens §358.20 - §358.29 and Resolution No. 757 to Amend §373 Fees

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Property Dimensions _____

Property Square Footage _____

Number of Chickens on Property _____

Please draw a diagram of your property showing: the location of the Chicken Coop, fenced in area, dimensions to property line and dwelling units, on the reverse side of this application.

Applicant further agrees to permit the representative of the Health Department to come onto the property to inspect the coop and property.

License, if granted, is upon express condition of forfeiture or revocation of license in case the applicant shall violate agreements set forth in said ordinance.

Please complete and return with a check in the amount of \$50. to the Harrington Park Health Department, 85 Harriot Avenue, Harrington Park, NJ 07640

All Licenses Expire December 31st Following Date of Issue

HEALTHY FAMILIES AND FLOCKS

Live poultry, such as chickens, ducks, geese, and turkeys, often carry harmful germs such as *Salmonella*. While it usually doesn't make the birds sick, *Salmonella* can cause serious illness when it is passed to people.

HANDWASHING PROTECTS YOU FROM GERMS



- Always wash your hands with soap and water right after touching live poultry or anything in the area where they live and roam.
- Adults should supervise handwashing for young children.
- Use hand sanitizer if soap and water are not readily available.

HANDLE BIRDS SAFELY



- Children younger than 5 years, adults older than 65 years, and people with weakened immune systems should not handle or touch chicks, ducklings, or other live poultry.
- Do not bring chicks, ducklings and other live poultry to schools, childcare centers, or nursing homes.
- Do not snuggle or kiss the birds, touch your mouth, or eat or drink around live poultry.

SAFELY CLEAN COOPS

- Clean any equipment used to care for live poultry outside, such as cages or feed or water containers.
- Set aside a pair of shoes to wear while taking care of poultry and keep those shoes outside of the house.



POULTRY BELONG OUTSIDE

- Do not let live poultry inside the house, especially in kitchens.
- Do not let live poultry in areas where food or drink is prepared, served, or stored.



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